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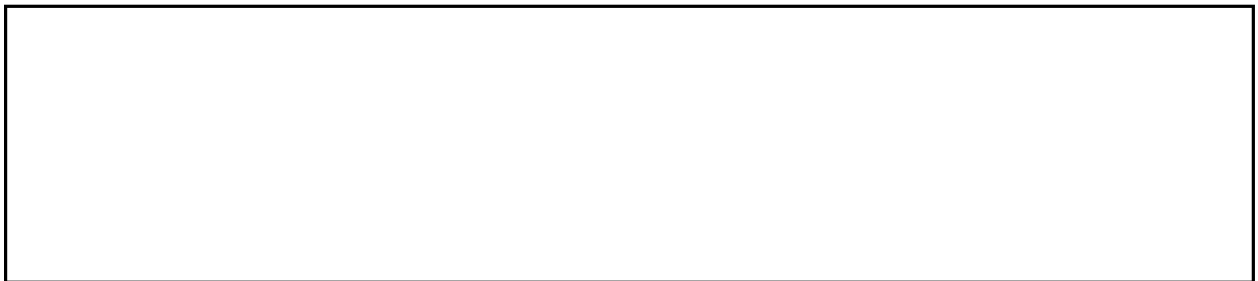
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25X1 1. [] I called William McHale, in the office of
25X1 Senator George A. Smathers, to inform him that our people had seen
25X1 [] whom McHale had mentioned to me several days ago
and that while [] was undoubtedly sincere concerning his plan for
the "peaceful occupation of Cuba" we did not regard his proposal very
realistically. McHale said he had reached the same conclusion on this
and had been most disturbed to learn that [] had left in the Senator's
office a memorandum indicating that, among others, Congressman Paul
Rogers, Senator Smathers and [] "enthusiastically
supported" his plan. McHale said he planned to contact [] and
admonish him for making this statement and suggesting that he draw
back all copies of his memo and destroy them.

25X1 Later in the day, [] called to say that [] had visited
him, had indicated that McHale had been most upset about his paper
and apologized for any embarrassment that might have been involved.



25X1 3. [] CIA witnesses appeared before the Joint
Committee on Atomic Energy to supplement testimony by []
and Dr. Seaborg, AEC Commissioner. See Memo for the Record.

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